they're paying the same level as everybody else in this state. As far as changing that fee, that would take a statute change. That is certainly a possibility as we move forward in the budget discussions of the biennial budget. But as far as actually removing the need for the deficit, it probably would be too late for that, even if we actually wanted to change that fee. And so that is why the difference there. And it probably, even if you wanted to change it from 35 to 50, with any other bill, it would take a statute change, you probably would not remove the need for the deficit, because we do need to hire a new person for Omaha. But that is certainly something that the body should keep in mind as we move forward on the biennial budget discussions later in the year.

SPEAKER BAACK: Thank you, Senator Moore. That was Senator Moore's closing. We will now proceed to vote on the advancement of LB 853. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote no. We're voting on the advancement of LB 853. Have you all voted? Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 mays, Mr. President, on the adoption of the motion to advance L3 853.

SPEAKER BAACK: LB 853 is advanced. Any items for the record, Mr. Clerk?

CLERK: Yes, Mr. President, thank you. Your Committee on Retirement reports LB 756 as indefinitely postponed; that's signed by Senator Nelson as Chair. Revenue Committee reports LB 320 to General File with amendments; LB 754, General File with amendments; LB 591, indefinitely postponed. Those signed by Senator Hall. New resolution, Mr. President, LR 63, by Senators Beutler and Crosby. (Read brief synopsis of resolution.) Senator Haberman has amendments to be printed to LB 732. (See pages 1192-1200 of the Legislative Journal.)

SPEAKER BAACK: We will now proceed to Item 8 on the agenda, General File, senator priority bills. LB 409.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 409 was originally introduced by Senator Rod Johnson, Hartnett, Morrissey, Dierks, and Coordsen. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 17, referred to the Natural Resources Committee. The bill was advanced to General File. There are committee amendments pending by the Natural Resources Committee, Mr. President.